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Sir:

Enclosed herewith for filing is a patent application of SHREE K. NAYAR and TOMOO MITSUNAGA
entitled APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR HIGH DYNAMIC RANGE IMAGING USING SPATIALLY
VARYING EXPOSURES

which includes:

☒ Specification 35 Total Pages
☒ Claims 18 Total Pages
☒ Abstract 1 Total Pages
☒ Drawing(s) 25 Total Sheets
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- ☐ An Assignment of the invention to _.
- ☐ is attached. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
- ☒ will follow.
- ☐ has been filed in the prior application
- ☐ Small Entity Statement(s)
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Priority

☐ Priority of application Country __, Appln. No. __ filed __ is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119.

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